

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
STEEL
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1155
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JOINT VENTURE OF KIOCL WITH SAIL
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Will the Minister of STEEL be pleased to state:

(a) whether Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Limited, a Public Sector Undertaking is going to set up a joint venture undertaking with Steel Authority of India Limited; and

(b) if so, the State-wise details of the plants proposed to be set-up?

Answer

MINISTER OF CHEMICALS & FERTILISERS AND MINISTER OF STEEL (SHRI RAM VILAS PASWAN)

(a)&(b): Kudremukh Iron Ore Company Limited (KIOCL) has entered into an Memorandum of Understanding with Steel Authority of India Limited (SAIL) on 28.9.2004 to form a Joint Venture Company to explore and mine iron ore at Kalta, Taldih and Barsua Mines in Orissa State.